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Summary

The present note contains information on the first one-year extension of the country programme for the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya. First one-year extensions are submitted to the Executive Board for information. Requests for second or third one-year extensions of country programmes, as well as two-year extensions, are submitted to the Executive Board for approval.

Elements of a decision

The Executive Board may wish to take note of the first extension of the country programme for the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya for a period of one year, from 1 January 2010 to 31 December 2010, as reported in table 1.

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Annex

Table 1. Extensions of country programmes approved by the Administrator since June 2009

Country	Original CCF period	Year(s) proposed for new extension	Reason and explanation		
			United Nations harmonization	In-country political development	Implementation and/or other issues
The Libyan Arab Jamahiriya	2006 - 2009	2010			Major national reforms announced in early in 2008 have prompted a reprioritization of the UNDP Libya programmes and projects. UNDP and the Government of Libya are engaging with national stakeholders to develop a national strategic document that will form the basis for the next UNDP country programme. Given the time needed for this rigorous engagement process with national stakeholders, it is estimated that the earliest the country programme can be submitted to the Executive Board for approval is March 2010, in time for the new country programme to be effective from January 2011.

CCF = Country cooperation framework
UNDAF = United Nations Development Assistance Framework